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: CaO-SiO2-BASED BIOACTIVE GLASS AND SINTERED CALCIUM PHOSPHATE

GLASS USING SAME

Mail Stop Amendment

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.112 in Response to Office Action Mailed March 29, 2006 in the above-captioned application.

Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

- X Copies of date-stamped filing receipt and Japanese patent document No. 4-036107 with English abstract.
- X A PTO-1449 form, with attached patent member list for JP 61-205637, Japanese patent documents Nos. 61-205637 and 2001-130927 (with English abstract and translation).
- X A Request for Extension of Time.
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